GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1282
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NATIONAL TOURIST DEVELOPMENT BOARD .
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government has taken any decision regarding constitution of National Tourist Development Board;

(b) If so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be constituted; and

(c) If not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SMT. AMBIKA SONI)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): Tourism is an amalgam of various activities like accommodation, food & beverages, entertainment services, transportation (railways, roadways, civil aviation, waterways), taxes, etc. which fall within the jurisdiction of different Ministries or State Governments. As such, pros & cons of setting up of a National Tourism Board vis-Ã -vis the existing system need detailed examination.